

PRESIDENT TO ANSWER THEM

St. Andrew's Boys Will Propound Questions On Ideal City.

PAY MONEY INTO CITY TREASURY

Remarkable Corporation Reimburses Richmond for Property Destroyed—Its Chief of Police Busy Official. At White House To-day.

A delegation of boys, representative of the St. Andrew's Associated City, will leave this morning on the 5 o'clock train for Washington, where among other important things in their practical search for the exemplification of good government, they will make a prearranged visit to President Roosevelt at his executive office, and will ask and be answered questions concerning the ideal city.

Mr. J. D. Shannon, who will escort the boys, is the progenitor and promoter of the boys' "city." He has, for no short time back, been in correspondence with President Roosevelt, who is taking a growing interest in the scheme as it is at present working among the boys of Richmond.

Imaginary City.
The first steps taken toward the formation of the city was during last October. A list of the available boys from the different departments of St. Andrew's School was secured, and a mass-meeting held, when the proposition was put before them. The idea was taken up with enthusiasm.

Clay Ward, was divided up into four wards, and a fifth ward was made up of all those boys who lived in more distant parts of Richmond. The population of the juvenile city began with about 112 members. On the 8th of November a political rally was held and officers elected. The election took place on the 15th, and all but four voted. A mayor, chief of police, treasurer, city clerk, the board of aldermen and city council, and all other officers necessary for the running of a city were elected, with underhand politics kept entirely within.

Taxed Boys' Luxuries.
A regular tax system was adopted; poll tax and special taxes, such as on owners of ponies, dogs, bicycles, etc., and the city treasury is in such excellent hands that its holdings are increasing steadily. An interesting example of good citizenship was at the banquet of the installation of the officers, at which Mayor McCarthy, who is very proud of this model sub-city, presided. One young citizen arose at the table, and moved that the entire population receive no benefit from the dinner, that it would be unfair to pay for it from the city treasury. And immediately a convincing approval was voted by every boy, digging down into his pockets and paying for his plate.

The installation of the city government, the council, the chief of police, men have been holding forthrightly meetings, and transacting the city's business. Different appropriations and ordinances have been made. One of the appropriations made in the beginning was to reimburse Richmond for any street lights broken by boys, and members of St. Andrew's city or not, in its territory, under its wards. Many such payments to Richmond city have been and will continue to be made, until all the boys in this section catch the right spirit of citizenship and discontinue vandalism.

Chief of Police Busy Man.
The chief of police has his officers, and they have had charge of the baseball games on St. Andrew's grounds. At a recent meeting of the Richmond City Council the sergeant-at-arms appointed as his aides the St. Andrew's chief of police and the tax collector, in order that they might gain some practical experience. This is the main idea of the little city; everything is practical and nothing theoretical. The legislative bodies have borrowed different powers from the Richmond government in order that they might study out and copy the correct order of proceeding in different cases. The administration of Richmond is being followed closely. The police, the tax collector, is yet to be thoroughly organized, will try wrongdoers with all the seriousness of a regular court, and its penalties will be inflicted with the same severity.

The average age of the citizens is about fifteen years, ranging from ten to eighteen. Elections are held once a year, and clean politics is the motto of the candidates, who are elected on the merits of their platforms entirely. At present the city is reorganizing the wards on account of the increase of population, which has now over 210 voters.

Who Will See President.

Among the citizens who leave for Washington to-day are Judge Ganey, city clerk, Blanton Smith, councilman, Frank Lee, alderman; Cassander Newell, alderman; Henry Moltz, councilman; Rudolph Hetzer, Valentine Lee, Bryan Martin, John Cosby, Horace Powell, Wallace Hodge, Richard Schaefer and a Friday. The officials and citizens will return to their homes to-morrow evening, and it is expected that they will have an interesting story to tell.

MR. MANN'S ABSENCE IN DEEP MYSTERY

The disappearance of Mr. Arthur Mann, who has not been heard from since last Friday afternoon, has caused the greatest anxiety in his family, and they are totally at a loss to account for his absence from home. The matter has not as yet been reported to the police, and hence no action has been taken to discover the man's whereabouts. The rumor that he committed suicide, or contemplated it, is persistently set forth as the only apparent reason of his absence. However, his family are holding out the hope that he has actually gone on a trip, and will return in a few days. They do not fear in the slightest that their father has taken his own life, and are chary even of giving credence to the rumor that he has been killed. But any news of his whereabouts is anxiously awaited by them.

EXPOSED BEEF TRUST.



Upton Sinclair is the latest "muck-raker" to engage President Roosevelt's official attention. Mr. Sinclair's book, "The Jungle," has aroused the whole country to a realization of the conditions existing in the great packing houses of Chicago and other cities, and the result of the President's action in confirming Mr. Sinclair's accusations against the beef packers by a private investigation has had the effect of establishing the author as the man of the hour.

CAR COLLAPSED 500 FEET IN AIR

Young San Franciscan Aeronaut Has Narrow Escape From Death.

(By Associated Press.)
CLEVELAND, Ohio, June 3.—While making a trial flight with his airship at an amusement resort here to-day, Lincoln Beachy, the young San Franciscan aeronaut, narrowly escaped death by the collapsing of the framework of the car. The airship was five hundred feet in the air when the accident occurred, and the daring young navigator was saved from being dashed to the ground only by the narrowest margin. He managed to guide the airship until it was but fifty feet above the ground, and although it fell that distance, he escaped uninjured except for a few bruises. The airship was partly wrecked.

STOLE WATER FROM CITY AND THEN SOLD IT BACK

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
NEW YORK, June 3.—That the Citizens' Water Supply Company of Queens has been "robbed" the city of millions of gallons of water by connecting its own mains with those of the city and selling the water back to the city at the rate of \$5 per million gallons and to private consumers at proportionate rates is charged by William B. Ellison, Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Commissioner Ellison declares that a connection between the mains of the city's water supply system and the pipes of the Citizens' Company has been discovered at St. Nicholas Avenue and Stanhope Street, in the Ridgewood section of Brooklyn, and that as the result of a personal investigation he is confident that large quantities of water are being drawn from the city's mains by the private company through this connection.

LARGE PLANT IN GOLDSBORO BURNED

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
GOLDSBORO, N. C., June 3.—A fire destroyed the saw mill, machinery and power plant of the Enterprise Lumber Company, in this city, to-day. The loss is estimated at probably \$15,000, with spontaneous combustion caused the fire, and the inflammable material caused the flames to gain considerable headway before the fire department could get to the scene. Heroic work of the firemen saved the large planing mill, dry house and the immense stock of lumber. The fire started about 1:20 o'clock this afternoon, and in a few minutes more than 5,000 people were watching the flames do their work of destruction.

THE YAWL TAMERLANE CROSSES THE RACE LINE

(By Associated Press.)
HAMILTON, Bermuda, June 3.—The yawl Tamerlane, owned by Frank Maber, and sailed by Captain Thomas Fleming Day, competing in the Brooklyn Yacht Club's ocean race to Bermuda, left the Lipton Cup, was sighted at 11:30 o'clock this morning and crossed the finish line at 3:28 P. M. She ran 150 miles Friday. The Tamerlane reports that she has not seen the sloop Gauntlet, owned by George W. Robinson, another competitor for the cup.

AGED FARMER RUN DOWN BY LOCOMOTIVE

Daniel Andrews, of Henrico, Instantly Killed Yesterday at Boudar's Crossing.

Mr. Daniel Andrews, an aged and respected white farmer of Henrico county, was run down by a Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac train yesterday morning at nine o'clock at Boudar's Crossing and instantly killed. An inquest was held shortly afterwards by Coroner W. A. Deas, of the county, and the verdict reached was that the dead man had come to his death from injuries caused by the engine attached to the train.

Mr. Andrews was sixty-five years old, and was a well known resident of Boudar's. He was seen by a Mr. Williams, of that place, walking down the track to the crossing but a few minutes before the accident. The Washington train passed then, and after it had sped on its way, Mr. Andrews was found in the middle of the track, terribly mutilated.

BEEF TRUST WILL DEFY PRESIDENT

Open Fight Now Between Packers and the Administration.

CANNON SIDING WITH THE FORMER

Democrats on Committee Indignant at the Action of Wadsworth and Others—Much Discussed Report Will Go to Congress To-day.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., June 3.—The friends of the packers will make strenuous efforts to defeat the President and his programme for inspection of all meats and meat products entering into interstate commerce. The President will be openly defied and the Beef Trust will leave no stone unturned to have the Beveridge amendment, which was adopted by the Senate eliminated from the agricultural bill in the House, and a substitute drawn by friends of the trust adopted instead.

This substitute has been drawn by Representative Wadsworth, of New York, chairman of the House Committee on Agriculture; Representative Lorimer, of Chicago, who has always been regarded as the peculiar representative of the packing interests, and Representative Henry, of Connecticut, who is a remarkably open apologist for corporations for these anti-corporation days.

Democrats Indignant.

The Democrats of the House Committee on Agriculture, headed by Representative Lamb, are indignant that these three Republicans should have taken it upon themselves to prepare the amendment to the bill.

Some of the majority members of the committee also resent the course of Wadsworth and the others. They are that the committee, it remains to see whether they will fall in line.

Report To-day.

The report of the investigation of conditions in the packing houses will be sent to Congress by the President to-morrow. With it he will send a message urging legislation along the line of the Beveridge amendment. The House has heretofore been absolutely docile in the matter of taking orders from the White House. It is more than likely that it will be brought into line on this question of the prevention of the sale of impure and diseased meats.

First Link Complete.

(By Associated Press.)
MAZATLAN, MEX., June 3.—The first link of the Guaymas-Guadalupe extension of the Southern Pacific, extending from a point on the Sonora Railway, nine kilometers above Guaymas to Torin, a distance of seventy-two kilometers, has been completed. The new line will be opened to freight and passenger traffic this month.

DOCTOR BASSETT WANTS TO RESIGN

Author of Article Claiming Booker Washington Greatest Man in South.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
CHARLOTTE, N. C., June 3.—John Spencer Bassett, Ph. D., professor of history in Trinity College, Durham, N. C., has resigned to accept similar chair at Smith College, Northampton, Mass.

About two and a half years ago Dr. Bassett wrote an article for a magazine, in which he asserted that, with the exception of Robert E. Lee, Booker T. Washington was the greatest man the South had produced in a hundred years. The article attracted considerable attention throughout the country and was the object of some adverse criticism at the time.

Dr. Bassett tendered his resignation to the college authorities, but they declined to accept it.

CAR HURLED FROM TRACK; 11 KILLED

Many Others Injured By the Overturning of Crowded Trolley.

WERE PINIONED UNDER WRECKAGE

Car Was Filled With Young Men and Women Returning From Pleasure Resort, and Was Thrown Twenty Feet Along Road.

(By Associated Press.)
PROVIDENCE, R. I., June 3.—Eleven persons are dead and a score seriously and many others slightly injured, as the result of the previously reported overturning of a crowded electric car at Moore Corner, in East Providence early this morning.

More than 100 young men and women, who had spent the evening at Crescent Park, a pleasure resort on the Providence River, six miles below this city, were on a chartered car returning to their homes in this city, Olneyville and Thornton. It is believed that two of the injured will die.

The dead: GEORGE ATCHEBERSON, 30 years, Thornton. EDWARD F. BRENNAN, 18 years, Cranston, R. I. ALICE FRANKLIN, 17 years, Thornton. ENRICO CAMBONI, 23 years, Thornton. JOHN GAVIN, 20 years, Providence. ANGELO GERMAIN, 30 years, Thornton. GUSTAVE GUERTIN, 35 years, Olneyville. WILLIAM W. LUTHER, 27 years, Providence. BERTHA M. KELLEY, 18 years, Thornton. JOHN SCHNEIDER, 19 years, Olneyville. ETHEL WHITELEY, 19 years, Providence.

Car Hurler Twenty Feet.

The wreck occurred on the suburban line of the Rhode Island Company. The motorman, W. J. Laucher, of Olneyville, was making his first trip over the road. Laucher was put in charge of the car at the solicitation of the passengers, members of a Catholic society, which had been to Crescent Park for an outing. Fog prevented a clear view of the road ahead and the motorman, unaware of the sharp curve below, allowed the car to coast rapidly down the hill. Suddenly he felt the car swinging into the curve, and realizing the peril, applied the brakes and reversed the power. The weight of the passengers, however, was too great, and the car and the momentum sufficed to derail the car and throw it into the road twenty feet from the tracks. Several people were pinioned underneath the car and instantly killed. Those who were able assisted in the rescue work.

Motorman Not to Blame.

The rescuers again raised the car from the ground, and by building a pile of heavy stones, kept it in position until the dead and injured were removed. Two of those taken out, John Gavin and George Atcheberson, both of whom had sustained fractured skulls, died within an hour.

Trouble in Mexico OVER: DEAD NUMBER 42

(By Associated Press.)
BISBEE, ARIZ., June 3.—The situation at Cananea to-night is normal. The American volunteers, who went across the line at Naco with Governor Tassell, of Sonora, on Saturday morning, returned to Bisbee this morning. Their services were no longer needed, although their presence there during Saturday before the arrival of Colonel Kostersky with Mexican rurales, held the situation in check. The town is under control and Colonel Kostersky is disarming American and Mexican alike.

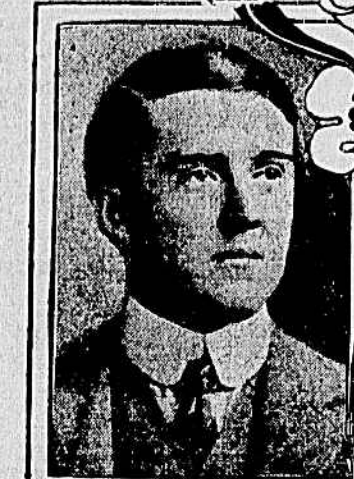
A conservative estimate of the number killed in the two days' fighting, is 35 Mexicans and six Americans.

MRS. JACKSON AIDS IN RESCUE OF YOUNG MAN

Remained Calm While Crew Battled for Life of Skiff's Lone Occupant.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WILLIAMSBURG, N. C., June 3.—With the small gasoline engine disabled and all means of propulsion gone, the skiff of John B. McEachern, a young business man of this city, was swept out of Wrightsville Sound through Moore's Inlet into the sea late this afternoon. His cry for help attracted the attention of the occupants of a pleasure boat belonging to the Tarrymore Hotel. The larger boat, containing among others, Mrs. Stonewall Jackson, widow of the Confederate general, and granddaughter, Miss Julia Christian, put to the rescue of McEachern with some difficulty, and not till the rescuers were drenched by the high rolling waves, the frightened young man was reached and carried in safety to the beach. Mrs. Jackson and granddaughter remained calm while the crew battled for the life of the skiff's lone occupant.

CASSATT RETURNS TO RESCUE ROAD



ROBERT A. CASSATT.

Following the disclosure of the Interstate Commission regarding the Pennsylvania Railroad's alleged discrimination against certain shippers, and the discovery of graft symptoms among the chief officers of that great company, A. J. Cassatt, its president, cut his European trip short to hurry home to explain the conduct of some of his subordinates. The latter includes his son, Robert Kelso Cassatt, and his son-in-law, William P. Stewart, both of whose names have been mentioned in connection with the scandal.

HEALTH MEASURE UP TO-NIGHT

Ordinance of Far-Reaching Effect Before Common Council for Concurrence.

MAY OFFER A SUBSTITUTE

Understood That Pollock and Others Will Seek to Have Board of Three Retained.

The regular meeting of the Common Council to-night promises to be most important and interesting, as the ordinance providing for the reorganization of the Health Department of the city will come up for concurrence.

Councilmen not a few, and the great mass of the people, are keenly alive to the situation and feel that some relief should be provided.

A substitute for the original ordinance has been prepared and will be offered, which will open the way for the present Board of Health to retain its existence.

Pollock May Offer It.

It is understood that Mr. Pollock is the patron of the substitute and that it provides that the Board of Health shall consist of three members, as at present, with greatly enlarged powers. The way is left, however, for the continuance of the board as at present constituted.

LIKELY TO CONSIDER ELECTION MATTER TO-DAY

The regular June term of the Hastings Court will begin to-day at 11 o'clock. Judge W. H. has summoned a regular grand jury for the term, and these gentlemen will sit on the Jefferson Ward election cases as well.

Confederate Memorial Day.

(By Associated Press.)
SHREVEPORT, LA., June 3.—Confederate Memorial Day was fittingly observed in Shreveport to-day by veterans of the Civil War. Chapters of the Confederacy and local military companies, all participating in the ceremonies at the Opera House and at Oaklawn Cemetery.

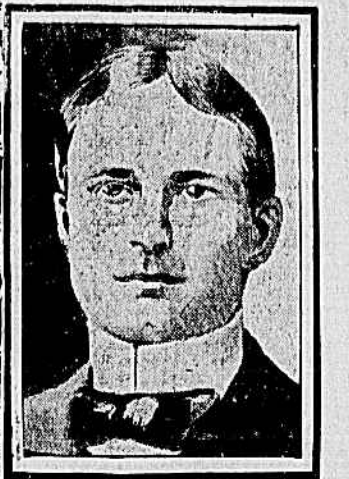
SHOT AND KILLED HIS SWEETHEART

Snapped Gun Which Girl Had Unloaded, and Ball Entered Her Breast.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
BOAOK, VA., June 3.—Dr. Sigmond, nineteen years of age, accidentally shot and almost instantly killed his sweetheart, Miss Sallie Chively, aged eighteen, at her home, near Salem, to-day. He was visiting the girl and the two were playing with a gun. The girl took live cartridges out of the weapon, and he thought it was unloaded, and was snapping the trigger, when the weapon was discharged, the ball entering the breast of the girl. She died in half an hour. Later Sigmond went to Salem, where he was arrested. He is in the Roanoke jail.

Sixty Rebels Killed.

DRUBAN, NATAL, June 3.—The colonial forces have had another brush with rebels in the vicinity of Andlaha, in which they lost four men killed and seven wounded. Sixty of the rebels were killed.



WILLIAM P. STEWART Son-in-law of A. J. Cassatt.



A. J. CASSATT.

President of the Pennsylvania Lands in Philadelphia.

DEFENDS COMPANY; PROMISES INQUIRY

Management Honest and Acting in Interest of Shareholders, He Says—Will Not Sacrifice Officers to Mis-taken Public Opinion.

(By Associated Press.)

PHILADELPHIA, June 3.—A. J. Cassatt, president of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, arrived at his home at Haverford, a suburb of this city, from Europe about noon to-day. He will be at his office in Philadelphia to-morrow morning. This evening Mr. Cassatt gave to The Associated Press a statement, saying in part:

"Mr. Cassatt said he had returned home to take part in the investigation by the board of directors of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, into the matters that have been disclosed during his absence in the proceedings before the Interstate Commerce Commission. The board would investigate all charges exhaustively and if any of the railroad employees should be found guilty of corrupt practices he would be summarily dealt with."

Ownership of Stock.

"Referring to the testimony of certain officers that they held the stocks of coal companies, Mr. Cassatt said that while such ownership by officers in a position to exercise favoritism, and therefore liable to suspicion, was no doubt inadvisable and unfortunate, it was not an offense in itself if the stocks were properly acquired, and were not contrary to the by-laws of the company. In fact, the management had, in the earlier years of the company, encouraged the officers to aid in the development of industries among its lines. The wrong, if any had been done, was in the alleged favoritism. There could be no favoritism in rates."

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ASSASSIN TURNS WEAPON ON SELF

Man Who Tried to Kill the King Takes His Own Life.

WILD EXCITEMENT THROUGHOUT CITY

Thousands Visit Morgue and Utter Imprecations Against the Bomb-Thrower—Body Exposed to Allay Public Indignation.

King Alfonso's Comment on Attempt to Kill Him.

"Yes, fortunately, it was unsuccessful, but it will come again. It may be any time—perhaps to-morrow, perhaps within a month, perhaps within a year, but it will come again. I am not made to F. W. Whitridge, special ambassador from the United States."

(By Associated Press.)

MADRID, June 3.—The capture and suicide Saturday night at Torrejon de Ardos, of Manuel Morales, the chief suspect in the bomb outrage against King Alfonso and Queen Victoria, adds another dramatic chapter to the incidents surrounding the royal wedding.

Morales was recognized in the little town of Torrejon de Ardos midway between Madrid and Alcala. A guard sought to detain him, but Morales, drawing a revolver, shot the guard dead. Then he turned to flee but a number of inhabitants were upon him and turning the revolver upon himself, he sent a shot at the region of his heart, expiring a few minutes later. Senor Guesta, proprietor of the hotel, from the balcony of which Morales threw the bomb, viewed the body this morning and completely identified it as that of his recent guest.

Shot Himself Dead.

It was 8 o'clock Saturday evening when Morales, disguised as a workman, entered the station at Torrejon de Ardos. He asked when the next train would depart for Barcelona, and then sought food in a nearby shop. His Italian accent attracted attention, and his clothes, face and manners indicated a man of some station.

A private watchman from a neighboring estate recalled the descriptions of the bomb-thrower and noticed that a finger on the man's hand, which the stranger was trying to conceal, was badly hurt. The stranger sought to take a road leading into the country, but the watchman intercepted him and demanded his identity. Morales declined to give this, whereupon a guard arrested him. Instantly Morales drew a revolver from his pocket and fired, the guard falling dead.

Morales started up the road but a small group of villagers had barred his passage. Then, turning, he deliberately pointed the weapon to his heart, fired and pitched forward in the roadway. In the pocket of the man's coat was found a small supply of bread and cheese. When the Governor of Madrid arrived with Senor Guesta, identification was immediate and positive. The body was then brought to Madrid. At Torrejon de Ardos, the villagers indignantly refused to permit the body to repose in their town.

Villagers of Torre Jon de Aros said Morales appeared greatly fatigued and fell asleep on a bench in the station. At the inn he called for dinner, but scarcely tasted a morsel. The inquisitive proprietress of the inn discussed the event with the body to repose in their town. The villainy of the throwing of the bomb at Madrid, declaring it was a heinous crime. The stranger shifted nervously, saying "Everyone has his own ideas, which should be respected." Shortly after this he tried to leave the town.

Intense Excitement.

When Morales shot himself, Francisco Martinez, heading the crowd, saw in the moonlight Morales making a desperate effort to raise himself on his elbow, his right hand still grasping the revolver. Then the wounded man fell backward, but the villagers waited fifteen minutes before going closer, fearing that he might still be able to use the weapon. They found Morales dead. They were then disposed to the body of the assassin. The body of Morales was exposed this afternoon to allay public indignation.

Thousands of persons surged before the municipal morgue seeking to get in line to be admitted to the room where the body lay, but cavalry and infantry blocked the efforts of the throng, which murmured imprecations against the assassin. Public feeling was intense, chiefly because of the great number of victims. It is seldom that a bomb explosion has had such deadly effect, the casualties in this instance being twenty-four persons killed and more than eighty wounded.

The disposition of the body of Morales has not yet been determined upon, but the public demand an ignominious burial.

King Much Disturbed.

The American envoy to the royal wedding, Frederick W. Whitridge, and his suite had an opportunity for a brief contact with King Alfonso during the reception at the palace Saturday night. When the conversation naturally turned to the attempt on the King and Queen, King Alfonso shrugged his shoulders and calmly said:

"Yes, unfortunately it was unsuccessful, but it will come again. It may be any time—perhaps to-morrow, perhaps within a month, perhaps within a year, but it will come again. As King Alfonso and Queen Victoria hurried within the castle after the attempt, the former's nerves were completely unstrung, and turning to Queen Victoria, her dress spattered with blood, he exclaimed:

"Why did I bring you to this country? It was wrong; you never should come here." Then the queen-mother and one of the